



# BPS INFORMATION SHEET

## Marking a block as harvested in IrrigWeb

When you harvest a block you need to mark it as harvested in IrrigWeb. This ensures that the program starts the ratoon on the right day and keeps the irrigation schedule up to date. How you update the harvest date depends on whether it was harvested earlier or later than the date in IrrigWeb.

After the harvest date has been entered, IrrigWeb will create the next ratoon crop and it will be visible under the **Current** tab in Charts, Reports and Masters.

IrrigWeb will allocate a harvest date for ratoons that is 12 months from the previous harvest. For example, if you harvest on June 25, 2020 it will assume that you will harvest that block again on June 25, 2021.

You can update the expected harvest date for 2021 when you enter the harvest date for 2020, or you can leave it until later in the season e.g. January or February. To keep the scheduling on track the harvest date needs to be updated before the dry down period commences. See information sheet “*Check and update harvest & dry-down in IrrigWeb*” for details on how to do this.

If 2020 was the last ratoon for a block, the crop can be changed to fallow ready for entering planting details in 2021. Change the crop after entering the 2020 harvest dates. To change the crop to fallow, go to **Masters**, click on **Paddocks by Season** and select **Current** for the season. Click on the pencil symbol to edit the block that needs to be updated. Click on the dropdown arrow beside **Ratoon** and select **FAL**. Scroll to the bottom of the page and click **Submit** to save the changes.

**Edit Paddock**

Paddock Name : Block 03-04

Area (ha) : 12.5

Prev harvest/plant date : 09/05/2020

Harvest date : 05/05/2021

Ratoon : R1

Variety : Select Ratoon ...  
FAL

Row Configuration : P  
R1  
R2  
R3  
R4  
R5

Water Mtg. Yield/Estimate Mgt.

Auto-Irrigate (Y/N)?

Meteorological site : Ayr Dpi Research Stn




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If the **actual** harvest date is **earlier** than the date in IrrigWeb

Open **Masters**, click on **Paddocks by Season** and select **Current** for the season.

If you have more than one farm, you will need to select the farm before selecting the paddocks.

The screenshot shows a navigation bar for 'Marian Home Farm'. Below it, a menu has 'Paddocks by Season' selected. A dropdown menu is open, showing 'Current' as the selected option. A red box highlights the 'Paddocks by Season' menu item and the dropdown menu.

Click on the pencil symbol  to the left of the paddock name that needs to be updated.

Change the **Harvest date** to the correct date. Then scroll to the bottom of the page and press **Submit**

The screenshot shows the 'Edit Paddock' form. The fields are: Paddock Name (14-2), Area (ha) (12.6), Prev harvest/plant date (16/04/2019), Harvest date (25/06/2020), and Dry-off Days (56.0). A red box highlights the 'Harvest date' field and the 'Submit' button at the bottom left.




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If the **actual** harvest date is **later** than the date in IrrigWeb

Open **Masters**, click on **Paddocks by Season** and change the season to 2020. You need to finish the crop in the 2020 season so that it starts the crop for the 2021 season on the right date.

If you have more than one farm, you will need to select the farm before selecting the paddocks.

The screenshot shows the top navigation bar of the IrrigWeb application. The current farm is 'Marian Home Farm'. The 'Paddocks by Season' menu is open, and the year '2020' is selected in the dropdown. Other menu options include 'Farms', 'Seasons by Paddock', 'Rain Gauges', 'Irrigation Management Rules', and 'Soil Types'.

Click on the pencil symbol  to the left of the paddock name that needs to be updated

Change the **Harvest date** to the correct date. Then scroll to the bottom of the page and press **Submit**

The screenshot shows the 'Edit Paddock' form. The fields are: Paddock Name: Block 03-04; Area (ha): 12.5; Prev harvest/plant date: 10/04/2019; Harvest date: 08/05/2020; Dry-off Days: 56.0. The 'Harvest date' field is highlighted with a red box. A 'Submit' button is also highlighted with a red box at the bottom left of the form.